

SAN FRANCISCO, July 8.—Fair tonight and Sunday; warmer tonight on the northern coast; light northerly winds in the valleys; fresh westerly winds on the coast.

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Call Upon Congress to Deny Him Seat in the House.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
DETROIT, July 8.—The great outdoor "International Peace and Arbitration" gathering, looked forward to as the most novel and perhaps the chief event of the Christian Endeavor Convention week, will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon, under weather conditions much more like those of October than July. Overcoats and jackets are in demand. Today's skies were overcast, and a northwest breeze with an occasional dash of rain blew freshly from Lake St. Clair across Belle Isle, where the crowds are to assemble this afternoon for the peace jubilee.

Speaking will be followed by presentation for adoption of the "Christian Endeavor Peace Memorial," a copy of which will be sent to the International Peace Conference at The Hague.
There will be no general meetings in the morning, but there will be many Sunday gatherings in the churches, the chief feature being a Sunday afternoon Sabbath observance service.
"Father Endeavor" Clark has prepared a program for the use of local, city and district unions for the year, which is a new departure, designed to give uniformity of thought and purpose to all.
This morning "Quiet Hour" in Tent Endeavor was more largely attended than either of the previous ones. The spirit of genuine piety is especially apparent in these early-morning meetings.
The last meetings in the big tents before Monday, opened in Tent Endeavor and Williston at 10 o'clock with the usual great crowds on hand and the singing as usual as ever. The main topic in Tent Endeavor was "Saved to Serve," self-consecration to the general theme in Tent Williston.

The preceding officer in Tent Endeavor was Rev. J. Z. Taylor of Cleveland, Rev. Dr. McArthur of Brooklyn led the devotions. Various topics related to the general theme of the service were treated by the following speakers:
"In the Home, the Church," Rev. Geo. B. Stuart, D. D., Haverburg, Pa.; "The Fatherhood of God," Rev. A. B. Jenkins, Indianapolis.
In the church, the Midwest Prayer League, just formed tonight, or to-morrow, will have its first meeting. The "Sunday Evening Service," by L. H. C. Breiden, Des Moines, Iowa, is a featured address. The "The Endeavor Success," by Prof. A. R. Wells, Boston, is a featured address. The "The Endeavor Success," by Prof. A. R. Wells, Boston, is a featured address. The "The Endeavor Success," by Prof. A. R. Wells, Boston, is a featured address.

Commission is a success. Schurman Doing Good Its Members Soon to Start for the Isthmus.

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WASHINGTON, July 8.—The Philippine Commission, giving some account of his journey to the southern islands of the Philippines, has been gratifying. There is a disposition almost everywhere south of Luzon to accept American sovereignty. President Schurman expects to arrive in San Francisco about August 15.
It is felt at the State Department that the commission has done much to convey to the active Filipinos the true position of the purposes of the United States government, and in that way has sapped the strength of the insurrection.

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Young People. Rev. W. F. Wilson, Hamilton, Ont.
In both tents resolutions which had been adopted by the Board of Trustees were read, calling upon all Endeavorers to do their utmost toward preventing Congressmen Roberts of Utah from assuming his seat in Congress.
THE RESOLUTIONS.
The Roberts resolutions were as follows:
"The Board of Trustees of the United Society of Christian Endeavor, speaking in behalf of over three million Americans, solemnly declare their conviction that the seating of Brigham H. Roberts of Utah as representative at large from that State in the fifty-sixth Congress would be a condemnation of the crime of polygamy, and a peril to the purity and integrity of the family, upon which our civil and religious institutions are largely dependent.
We consequently call upon our representatives in the national Congress to rise above all partisan and sectional and personal considerations, and in defense of our nationality and character as a law-abiding people, to deny Mr. Roberts, a seat among our national lawmakers."
Accompanying the resolutions was submitted a memorial to Congress to be signed by Endeavorers, urging "utmost endeavor to accomplish Mr. Roberts' expulsion in accordance with the provisions of the national constitution, article I, section 5, as follows:

THE RULES.
"Each house may determine the rules of its proceedings, punish its members, for disorderly conduct and with the concurrence of two-thirds expel a member."
The memorial also urges submission of a constitutional amendment to the Legislatures of the States defining legal marriage to be monogamous, and making polygamy and polygamous cohabitation a crime punishable by severe penalties, including disfranchisement and perpetual banishment from holding any Federal or State office.
Rev. H. B. Groves of Boston presided over the Tent Williston session.
Dr. M. R. Hodges of St. Louis conducted the devotional exercises. An open platform to give personal testimonies. On the general theme of consoling aid, the following were delivered:
"Our Commonwealth," Rev. W. F. Wilson, Hamilton, Ont.; "The Faith of the Future," J. A. Cropper, Kansas City; "The Crucifixion of the Quiet Hour," President Clark; "Young People's Devotion," Rev. J. H. Wilson, Hamilton, Ont.; "Self-Consecration," Prof. G. W. Taylor, Chicago.
During the session the rain resumed operations in earnest, and the tent roofs of the water through copiously, in fact, but nevertheless the audience stayed.

Nicaragua Commission. The first party to leave the country will consist of Admiral Walker, Colonel Prickett, Mr. Burr and Mr. Morrison, constituting the Panama Committee, with probably the two other members of the commission, who will leave here in about thirty days for Paris. There they will examine the records of the Panama Company and secure whatever data is obtainable in connection with that part of the work. It is possible they may visit Rio before returning.

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WASHINGTON, July 8.—The Nicaragua Canal Commission has finished its present business in Washington, and the members have scattered to wind up their personal and professional business before starting for the field. It has been settled that the field force taken from this country will number about seventy-five, all told, in addition to whatever local help may be picked up on the isthmus.

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Jim Jeffries' Plans. Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
SAN FRANCISCO, July 8.—Sam Thail, Jim Jeffries' advance agent, announces that Jeffries will sail from New York for Europe on July 27th. Jeffries will visit his home in Los Angeles before going East.
A Chinese Killed. Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.
SACRAMENTO, July 8.—A Chinese known as Ah Butch was today thrown from a wagon at Twentieth and H streets in a runaway, receiving injuries which caused his death two hours later.

SNOW AGAINST MILLER.

Declares the Street Superintendent Is Too Expensive. The Mayor Tells Harry Morse He Is Against Miller. Says He Will Try to Get a Better Man for the Place.

THE FOLLOWING SENSATIONAL LETTER SENT BY HARRY N. MORSE AND ANSWERED BY MAYOR R. W. SNOW IS CONSIDERED A GEM. THE LETTER AND ANSWER IS REPRODUCED IN TYPE AS NEAR AS POSSIBLE. THE LETTER SPEAKS FOR ITSELF:

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San Francisco, Feb. 2nd, 1899.
Hon. R. W. Snow,
My dear Sir:--
It is rumored on the streets that in case you are elected to the position of Mayor of Oakland and Mr. M. K. Miller, who is on the same ticket with yourself, is defeated, that you will, as a member of the Board of Public Works, vote to retain Mr. Miller in the position of Supt. of Streets. Will you kindly inform me if this be true or not.
Yours respectfully,
H. N. MORSE.

MAYOR SNOW'S EXPLANATION OF LETTER.

Speaking on the subject of the above letter and rumors concerning it, Mayor Snow said to a TRIBUNE reporter this morning:
"My attention has been called by the reporters for newspapers yesterday that there is a photograph of a letter written by Harry Morse to me last February. I have no hesitation in saying that the letter, evidently a photograph passed between Mr. Morse and myself, 'I slipped to the telephone and asked Mr. A. Cropper, Kansas City, to photograph and given publicity through that means.'
"He said that he did not have the letter photographed but that he had simply loaned it to Dr. Purdie."
When asked further concerning the letter, Mr. Snow declined to state anything for publication until after he had seen Dr. Purdie, because, as he said, he "was unwilling to believe that his friend, the Doctor, had joined himself to political 'jam' party."

NO DANGER OF CONVENTION VOLUNTEERS WHO REMAIN.
A CONFLECT. BEGINS TODAY. General Otis Assured of Two Skeleton Regiments.
Belligerent Canadians Restrained By England. Arriving in Los Angeles.

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WASHINGTON, July 8.—Mr. Choate has not communicated to the State Department the result of any representation he has made to Lord Salisbury in London, respecting the modus vivendi, under his instructions of yesterday. Although it is believed that it is almost hopeless to expect a successful outcome of the direct negotiations with London, a hostile clash will follow the failure to secure a modus vivendi. Confidence is expressed in the sufficiency of the present arrangements, backed by the sound common sense of the officials of the United States and Great Britain have been actually working under a tacitly understood modus vivendi.

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LOS ANGELES, July 8.—E. E. Oram, president of the N. E. A.; E. C. McNeill, treasurer; Albert G. Lane, chairman of Board of Trustees and William T. Harris, United States Commissioner of Education, arrived here this morning. They came in a private car, and were accompanied by their families. The arrivals of teachers and visitors to the N. E. A. convention today number at least 2,000, among whom were many prominent educators. Special trains from Chicago, Peoria, Dubuque, Iowa, Brooklyn, Lincoln, Nebraska, Indiana and Kentucky and a special made up of cars switched on from other special trains came through Albuquerque, N. M.

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FIVE HUNDRED

PEOPLE ARE IN DANGER

OF DROWNING.

Rain Coming Down in Torrents and it Looks Black For People.

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ST. LOUIS, July 8.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Dallas, Texas, says: Governor Sayers, in a talk over the long-distance telephone from Austin, requests the press to state that in addition to money, all character of clothing and provisions are needed in the flood district. He suggests that parties contributing such articles communicate with him before shipments are made, in order that intelligent distribution may be had. There are from seventy-five to one hundred people needing relief. About \$100,000 in money and supplies have been contributed, but many times that much is needed.
REPORTS AT NOON.
Reports received in Dallas at noon, from Donnellson, Paris, Texarkana and other places on the Red river, state that rain has been pouring in torrents for the last five hours with no prospects of stopping. It is feared that a flood in Red river may result.
A telegram received today from Jullin, in Hart Bend county, says that 500 persons are in danger of drowning at that point.
AID FOR THE SUFFERERS.
NEW YORK, July 8.—The National Enameling and Stamping Company, through its president, ex-Congressman F. G. Niedringhaus, today mailed to Governor Sayers of Texas a check for \$1,000 for the relief of the flood sufferers.

VALUES.

County Assessor Dalton Completes His Work.
County Assessor Dalton has almost completed the county assessment roll to be turned over to the Board of Equalization Monday. Deputy Assessor Robinson is today engaged in taking off the footings.
The complete assessment of the city of Oakland is as follows: Number of acres, 3,200.21; value of real estate other than city or town lots \$2,275,250; value of improvements thereon, \$1,252,735; value of city and town lots, \$3,193,275; value of improvements thereon, \$1,418,325; deduction on account of mortgages, \$5,832,350; personal property, \$3,225,500; amount of money and solvent credits, \$1,157,550; total value of all property, \$42,211,625; Regents and Deaf and Dumb mortgages not assessable, \$20,800.
The total city assessment last year was \$42,945,725. It was feared at first that there would be a big drop in the assessment this year and thus decrease the city's income. The assessment of the stock of banks, however, has raised the total assessment above that of last year. It is \$42,211,625 this year, an increase over last year of \$10,346.
The stock assessments of the banks in the city are as follows: Oakland Bank of Savings, \$354,000; Union Savings Bank, \$275,000; First National Bank, \$150,000; First National Bank, \$150,000.
The total assessments of the townships of the county compared with those of last year are as follows: San Leandro, this year, \$202,550, last year, \$202,550. Loss, \$48,000.
Washington township, this year, \$440,000, last year, \$440,000. Loss, \$500.
Brooklyn township, this year, \$5,102,275, last year, \$5,102,275. Loss, \$500.
Murray township, this year, \$4,356,225, last year, \$4,356,225. Gain, \$1,818.
Oakland township, this year, \$1,622,550, last year, \$1,622,550. Gain, \$1,818.
Alameda, this year, \$10,587,450, last year, \$10,587,450. Gain, \$227,175.
Fremontville, this year, \$566,000, last year, \$566,000. Loss, \$11,400.
Haywards, this year, \$755,475, last year, \$755,475. Loss, \$1,000.
Piedmont, this year, \$310,125, last year, \$310,125. Loss, \$1,000.
Piedmont, this year, \$549,550, last year, \$549,550. Loss, \$5,075.
Adding up the totals of the townships and city assessment it shows a gain of \$56,515 over the county assessment of last year. This is contrary to expectations as it had been roughly computed that the county assessment would fall short from \$500,000 to \$500,000 as against that of last year.

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Workmen are earnestly requested to be present on these occasions.


Exhibition Destroyed.
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COMO, Italy, July 8.—The Volta electrical exhibition has been entirely destroyed by fire, due to the defective electric wires. Many miles of Volta perished. There was no loss of life.

Dr. Crowley Returns.
Dr. D. D. Crowley returned from Highland Springs last evening and resumed his practice today.
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The settlement of County Tax Collector Barber with Treasurer Fielder for the month of June is \$9,722. The delinquencies for 1898 were about 20% less than for the year previous.

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NO MORE SILVER DOLLARS.

Radical Change in the San Francisco Mint. Thirty-Six Democratic Employees Are Let Out. Cratty Chris. Buckley Has Mayor Phelan on the Run.

(Special to The Tribune.)
SAN FRANCISCO, July 8.—Consternation reigns at the United States Mint over a big happening that so far has been missed by the typewritten reporters of the daily press. It is that the coinage of silver dollars has been stopped by orders from Washington, and that no silver whatever is to be handled except for subsidiary coins. As a result of this event thirty-six employees have been retired from public life and many others fear that they will have to follow.

The importance of this announcement will be appreciated when the statement is made that the mint here has been turning out as high as \$500,000 in silver monthly. The 16 to 1 element will certainly be up a wall, therefore, now that the handling of silver is practically discontinued with a bang, thus closing down another market for the white metal.

Some are inclined to think that the move is a political one and not, as given out, because the volume of silver dollars already on hand is so immense that the Government thinks it foolish to continue adding to the stock. The thousands of thirty-six employees would therefore be thoroughly warranted by the conditions mentioned in the latter instance, and no complaint could go up as such as is now quietly echoing throughout the departments where those whose names have been removed from the payroll were located.

Of these retired, twenty-two were women who had been engaged in the coinage section, the others being male employees in the estimate, melting and refining and assaying departments. It is needless to say that all were Democrats, and it is this phase of the situation that is worrying the other members of that party who are now hanging on to what they consider is a very ragged edge.

The way the Democrats have got the situation floundered out has been as follows: In view of the fact that the recently promulgated amendment to the Civil Service Act did not give the Mint Superintendent authority to remove any employees but those employed in confidential or responsible positions, it is thought that another method of "killing the cat" has been resorted to. By closing down the silver coinage department an excess would be created to retire a large number of Democrats who otherwise would be invulnerable. After two or three months, orders could, however, come along to start in coining silver again, whereupon thirty-six individuals would be required to make the operating force complete.

Instead of placing back in the department, though, the employees forced out of the mint by the suspension of coinage, it would be the easiest thing in the world to make the appointments from the list of eligibles a proceeding which, it is needless to say, would result in the selection of thirty-six Republicans to step into the shoes of their Democratic predecessors. It can easily be seen, therefore, that the Democrats are impatient who have as yet made no move to get anything but "take their clothes and go." For if the week has entered that way, there is no telling how everything will be split up before the next national election gets around, which is naturally the cause of all this political manipulation.

An interesting feature of the situation is that just this wholesale slaughter is in progress at the Mint, a regular civil service examination for those seeking employment there has just been held. The number of applicants was far in excess of former occasions of the kind, about seventy-five of those examined being candidates for the one position of collector. The prospects that any of those who are building their hopes on obtaining employment that way are very remote, for those who pass will simply be placed upon the eligible list, where they will be forgotten unless they have strong political influence and backing.

BUCKLEY'S FINE WORK.
And now for some political matters that do not run in Federal grooves, but are confined to local and State boundaries. There is probably nothing more interesting at the present time than the approaching municipal fight here, for with the charter at stake and so many valuable positions in the balance, the occasion is one well deserving of close attention.

A peculiar condition has developed as a result of Buckley's reappearance in the arena, for although he and all his henchmen are shouting for Phelan, it has just been discovered that the "blind bass" has been playing a very smart game. Realizing that to elect the Mayor in the interests of some other candidate would not alone invite defeat, but would probably sweep him out of the field altogether, Buckley decided to join in the general cry, and none have cried "Phelan for Mayor" longer or more lustily than he.

For awhile neither Phelan nor his henchmen could see through what Buckley was doing, but now everything has dawned upon them with startling force. Using Phelan's name as the popular voice, Buckley has succeeded in organizing throughout the city a system of Democratic clubs of high party standard. Instead of having them conducted by nobodies or place-seekers, he has secured as officers some of the very best citizens in their respective districts, the result being that, although San Francisco has been nominally organized for Phelan by Buckley, the latter has got ten iron in the fire for every one the Mayor is holding on to.

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DALTON HOLDS THE COMMISSION

Money Will Be Held Pending Settlement of Dispute.

County Assessor Dalton yesterday turned over to County Treasurer Teller \$18,000 for poll and personal taxes collected during the month of July. Of this amount \$7,000.50 was for poll tax collected, less the 15 per cent commission which Mr. Dalton claims he is entitled to deduct.

The personal taxes turned over were \$10,920.07. Up to July first the receipts for poll taxes were \$18,000.

Deducting the commission of \$2,300.10 leaves \$15,699.97 of poll tax money in the vaults of the County Treasurer. Mr. Dalton will be unable to make a settlement with State Controller Colgan until the dispute in regard to the commission charged by Mr. Dalton is settled.

For Morbid Conditions take BRECHMANN'S PILLS

EX-CHIEF FLETCHER KILLING TIME.

Ex-Chief Fletcher of the Police Department has not been within the precincts of the Police Department since his retirement from the place, although he has been in the City Hall a couple of times in the last few days. He is now wearing a cane on the street and seems abstracted as he walks along as if doing nothing makes time hang most heavily on his hands.

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A HOSPITIUM AT SAN JOSE.

This evening the order of Bohemians of America will be introduced into San Jose. The inauguration will be attended by members of the order from this city, Sacramento and San Francisco, who will be warmly received by the young men of San Jose. The order is a very interesting one, and is being introduced into this city at 6:30 o'clock.

For Endeavorers.

"Should the Point French Single Tax be the title of the discussion to be held by the Alameda County Single Tax Society in the Y. M. C. A. Hall on Tuesday evening next. Invitations have been sent to several of the Christian Endeavor Societies and any society over which is herewith invited to attend this interesting argument."

THE LATEST YARN.

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WHAT A REPORTER HEARD ON BROADWAY.
Al Lean and James Fox were walking down Broadway together last evening. During their promenade they met and spoke to several of their acquaintances. Presently Lean said to Fox: "Say, Jim, we saw the two best known men in Oakland—the boxing instructor acquiesced in this statement with a complacent smile and the two continued on their way."

LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN TO GIVE A DANCE.
E. C. Fellows Lodge, No. 145 Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Golden State Lodge, No. 115 Ladies Auxiliary will give a joint social dance toward the last of this month. The dance will be given in Magnolia Hall on Seventh street. The parties of the firemen are very popular and are always well patronized.

REPORTS OF FREE LIBRARY.
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Trustee Ladd reported for the Committee on Reading Rooms that the reports of these rooms would take their vacations during the month of July. It was decided to authorize the placing of a sign on the West Oakland reading room.

An application from Sarah A. Young for the curators of the reading room at Golden Gate was read and filed. An application from J. R. Wheaton for the same position was placed on the board. Mr. Wheaton stated in his application that he had resided in this city thirty years and had been a life long Republican.

Many E. Burdick's application for the curators of the reading room at Alameda was also read and filed. Daniel Hicks of Alameda appeared before the board to explain his system of rebuilding old books. For 15 cents a volume he agreed to replace covers on old books. Samples of the work were exhibited. The matter was referred to the Book Committee, to be reported to the board at its next meeting.

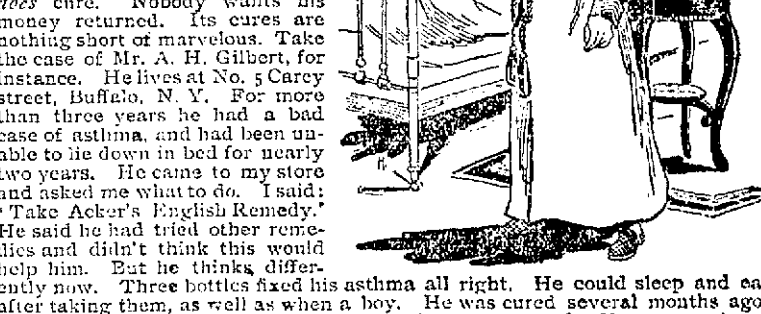
One volume of "A Geographical Method of Memorizing History" was ordered purchased.

The action of the board at the last meeting, authorizing the Librarian to pay the cost of the reading room for 31c to be placed in the hands of the Librarian, out of which to pay small bills. Ex-Librarian Peterson was elected to the board two scrap books which contained clippings on matters connected with the library during the last twelve years. Mr. Peterson was willing to sell the books for \$50, should the board see fit to make the purchase. It was decided to defer the matter until the next meeting, when a call book was expected to be present.

It was decided to hold a special meeting next Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.

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The Oakland Man who trained and made Jas. J. Corbett and Jim Jeffries the Champion Pugilists of the Earth.

The Science of Sizing Up a Big Man to be a Great Fighter

"I never gave any newspaper a signed article, although I have been represented as doing so," said Trainer William F. Delaney at his Oakland home on Nineteenth street, last night. "But I don't mind giving THIS TRIBUNE an interview if there is anything that I can say about the business in which I am engaged without pushing myself forward. I don't care to do that under any circumstances."

HOW I GO TO WORK.

"You want to know how I go to work to pick and make a winner in the ring, do you? Well, speaking generally there are several things to find out about the material you are undertaking to mold, and they must all be combined. The absence of any one is pretty sure to prove fatal to any trainer's expectations. There must be speed; there must be strength, with the requisite skill to use that strength; and there must be heart."

SPEED AND SCIENCE.

"By speed I mean to include the science that goes with it. There is many a fast man who doesn't know how to use his speed and so

falls when it comes to the pinch. On the other hand the fighter who is clever and fast, yet has not a fair amount of strength, is pretty sure to meet with accident. The successful fighter, therefore, must combine speed and strength with his science."

MUST HAVE HEART.

"Principally, though, he must have heart, that is, courage. I rate that quality first, although I have named it last. It is the hardest quality to make sure of in a fresh man. The other qualities you can see and judge of in your man. This prime quality of heart you very largely have to guess at, especially at first. A game man never believes he is going to be defeated. He always thinks he has a chance. He doesn't know when he is defeated. He will keep on fighting till the battle is won or he drops."

MAN IN ACTION.

"Seeing a man in action, you can tell pretty well as to his strength and speed and science. You can't tell as to his heart, which is a moral rather than a physical quality. Tell you see him in distress. That shows out more than anything else. If he is in a real fight, but in a closely matched one, or a losing or threatening one. The biggest cue in the world might whip four men without coming within a thousand miles of that test. Horses win out four times out of five because they have big hearts, because they are

game. You can't tell a game man by looking at him any more than you can a dog or a horse. Some people say they can. That's all peepcock. Heart, as I said, is more a matter of guess and of judgment than of observation, still, it is true that a man can't fight long many times without touching the point of distress—distress is matched so evenly nowadays."

COURAGE.

"While you can measure a man's strength and fastness by observation and make a pretty close guess as to his heart by experience, if a trainer finds that his subject doesn't improve, is not apt, he must let him go. You have to wait something for a month to tell a man's gamestness and have to train patiently for months to prove his aptness. There are some men that will take death in front of a six-shooter, or in front of a Filipino muckety, who would faint with a punch in the back. They'll take their death but shrink from gradual punishment. This shows that there are two kinds of courage, and it shows the kind that the trainer must find in his material to make a successful fighter in the ring."

STRENGTH.

"Then there are two kinds of strength, and there is a great difference between them. Fitzsimmons, means, like Jeffries, has strength of the right kind for the ring. Their strength comes from their being

used to hard work and constant work in their early days, which they get from their labor in their respective vocations. Such strength stays with a man. It is like a colt raised on a hilly pasture. Then there are men of what I should call manufactured strength—like Corbett—who are developed by a new system of training in the gymnasium. "This sort of strength is not certain or desirable. It is not of course discreditable to its possessor, but just the opposite. It implies that he must have had a lot of patience, I would choose a man who had to work when young. Hard, regular work in youth is a good thing—not merely boxing, mind you. It stands a man well in time of sickness. The better health of our forefathers I imagine was due to it. It makes men morally courageous, too. You don't go to counting rooms and offices to find the material for a prize fighter."

STRONGEST MEN.

"No, I don't care what a man looks like, not what his make up is, so long as he can deliver the goods. There is Fitzsimmons, who has no legs, yet is one of the greatest men in the class of the century. His successes have been all the more wonderful from the fact that he has been rightly called a physical freak. The three strongest men in the business today—strongest irrespective of abilities—are Jeffries, Fitzsimmons, and Corbett."

be rated in the order named.

COMING MAN.

"There is a young fellow coming up in San Francisco whom I like very much, with proper guiding and advice he may compete with Jeffries some day—if he doesn't make any foolish matches within the next year. He has youth which is quite a factor that perhaps I ought to have enumerated at the outset of this talk. I want him to force to the front because he is from California. If it ever comes to pass that Jeffries is to be defeated I hope he will meet his match at the hands of the young Californian, Joe Kennedy. But this young fellow must be very careful about his match-making for the next year. He has much room for improvement and he mustn't get defeated now. "Yet matches rightly made will help him. From every fight a young man gets experience. This man has weight, height, speed, strength and youth. Up to date he has had a fair test as to heart and shows all right."

CORBETT TOO WISE.

"Of course, as I have intimated, obedience to rules, is of the first importance. I know that Corbett lost the championship of the world by getting too wise. In his fight with Fitzsimmons at Carson City he adopted a system of training he had never employed before and that was his first defeat."

"I am always pleased to see a

good sound sleeper. There are men who two hours before a battle will go to sleep until within a half hour of it. That is the way to put your money on. I like a moderate eater and above all a sound sleeper."

MODEST WILLIAM.

"Now, as I said, I attribute my own successes mainly to good luck and my fighters. I don't claim the credit for Corbett and Jeffries. The fighters are entitled to the credit and not we who train them. I had the right material and that is all. I am not going to England with Jeffries, who will be there within a month from today. I shall stay here in California and will join him as soon as he goes in training for his next fight. He will surely meet somebody in October."

HIS RECORD.

"I have been in active business now for twenty-five years. The probability is that when I sever my connections with Jeffries I shall be out of it. This is not to say anything against it."

"I admire the business and want to see it maintained and conducted on the level. "I have only a kind word for it. No fighter has the slightest chance to go to the west coast and to and is strictly on the level, and that is the highest tribute I can pay to the profession in which I have spent my life."

WHAT ROYALTY IS DOING IN LONDON.

MRS. MACKEY ENTERTAINS THE FOURTH IN LONDON

(Copyrighted, 1899, the Associated Press.) LONDON, July 8.—Although a few great balls are still in sight, the London season is already waning. People are drifting into the country much earlier than usual. Next week will be given over to Newmarket, where there are numerous house parties for the second July meeting. During the following week the season winds up with the Duchess of Devonshire's ball. There are still several fashionable weddings in prospect. The most probable being that of the Earl of Shaftesbury and Lady Constance Grosvenor, who will have fifteen or sixteen bridesmaids. Many persons are looking forward with great interest to a reception to be given by the Duke and Duchess of Sutherland at Saffron Walden, July 10th, to the members of the Anglo-American League and their friends, at which Joseph H. Choate, the United States Ambassador, and Mrs. Choate and many prominent Americans and English will be present.

MRS. MACKEY ENTERTAINS.

After a long period of mourning, Mrs. John W. Mackay has reopened her beautiful house on Carlton House Terrace. She gave two big dinners during the week, which were followed by wonderful music. London has been much relieved during the week by the visit of the officers and a large number of cadets belonging to the United States training ship Monongahela, who have been spending five days leave at the Metropole, energetically sightseeing, riding in electric cars and generally enjoying themselves.

THE FOURTH IN LONDON.

The Fourth of July was never so universally celebrated by the Americans in London as was the Fourth of Tuesday last. In addition to the celebrations at the Hotel Cecil and the United States Embassy, there were a large number of private luncheons, dinners and river parties. Mr. and Mrs. John Melzer, Esq. of Chicago took a large party of Americans in a steamer from their place at Datchet to Maidenhead, while the employees of the Commercial Cable Company, with George Ward of New York, general manager of the company, celebrated in a similar manner on a day launch fully bedecked with American flags. Thursday was speech day at Harrow, the first under the new headmaster, Mr. De Wood, and attracted a great crowd of distinguished people to the school.

Thursday afternoon the last most of the four-in-hand club occurred at the Horse Guards' parade. It was undoubtedly the smartest of the season. There were twenty-two coaches in line.

THE DUKES OF MARCHMONT'S FUNCTIONS.

The Duke of Marchmont's team was greatly admired. He was accompanied by the Duchess, Lady North Churchill and Lord Cairnes. In the evening occurred the Duchess of Devonshire's ball within the beautiful grounds of Devonshire house, with illuminations and supper tent exactly the same as on the occasion of the famous jubilee fancy dress ball. It proved to be the most brilliant of the season. The music given by Mrs. Alfred Harmsworth, the same evening, attracted a crowd of fashionable people to the Grafton galleries, whose spacious rooms were decorated with such a wealth of roses as were never before seen in London. The program, which was also on the most lavish scale, included Paderewski, Coullin, Leonora Jackson, David Lishman, Susanne Adams and Maurice Parkes.

THE WOMEN'S COUNCIL.

A representative of the Associated Press has interviewed the Countess of Aberdeen and others regarding the practical results likely to accrue from the national council of women. Lady Aberdeen, who is an enthusiastic admirer of the American and Canadian delegates, said: "Every one of them was a skilled expert, and most of them were skilled speakers, whom the congress was delighted to hear, which cannot be said in regard to many of the other speakers. The Americans, as a rule, were better informed, more decided in opinion and further advanced on the leading topics than any of the other delegates. They fairly outstripped the English women, who, however, were better informed than the continental delegates in general knowledge of the subjects pertaining to women."

"Mrs. Sewall won the congress from the first. Her extraordinary tact in dealing with such a large gathering was remarkable."

"Miss Susan B. Anthony's powerful advocacy of woman's claims distinctly added to her already great reputation."

GRAND RESULTS PREDICTED.

"Regarding the results, the grand consummation has been reached of welding together a cosmopolitan body of thoughtful women, prepared to

BRILLIANT FUNCTIONS THE WOMAN'S COUNCIL

SENATOR HANNA'S TRIP THE LONDON THEATERS

educates their fellow women. Twenty-five years hence the heaven of today will have leavened the whole world, and the irresistible force of public opinion will have raised women to their proper sphere."

Miss Susan B. Anthony dwelt enthusiastically on the work of the council and said:

SENATOR HANNA HEARD FROM.

Senator Mark Hanna says he regards former Congressman John D. Watt Warner's denunciation of him and other prominent men before the Brooklyn Democratic Club Tuesday night, as being due, as being due to disappointment. He adds that it "could only have gained the public ear through its extravagance," that when he speaks of "Hanna syndicates" he knows he "talks nonsense" while when he uses the names of General Egan, Captain Carter and Secretary Alger to "discredit President McKinley," American good sense "simply swallows it as chaff."

THEATRICAL NOTES.

In spite of the many counter attractions and the hot weather, most of the theaters fared well this week. "An American Citizen," is doing so well at the Duke of York's Theater, that Nat Goodwin will prolong its run.

As a souvenir of the performance at Windsor, July 4th, when Grau's company presented the opera of "P. Papiacolo," before a large gathering of royalties, the Queen has presented Maurice Grau with a handsome silver ink stand with the royal monogram, and has presented Susanne Adams with a gold bracelet with the Queen's initials.

Owing to the shock of Augustin Daly's death, Ada Rehan will be unable to undertake the leading part in the Drury Lane drama especially written for her by Cecil Raleigh. It is hoped, however, that Miss Rehan will be able to appear at Drury Lane in a short Shakespearean season next spring.

OUR GREAT FEAST IN '69.

By HENRY EVERS, Ex-Coroner and Pioneer.

In 1869 we had one of the biggest Fourth of July celebrations ever held in this city. All the military from San Francisco came over and participated in the parade. The whole town was in line. I remember that day just as though it was yesterday.

I was appointed a member of the Committee on Provisions. "Lumber Jim" sometimes known as Jim Cassidy was the other member of the committee. It had been announced that we were going to give a big feed on the Fourth.

It was finally decided that Jim and myself should go out into the country and secure the provisions. So we went on a begging tour and tackled all the farmers in the county. We went to the place where the boys, ducks, pigs and everything the farmers would give up; and best of all we did not pay a cent for anything. You know everybody was generous. The big spread was laid in Harry's woods at Market street. You remember those days. Market street was considered to be quite a bit in the country. The time for the banquet came off and I tell you it was a wonder. John Gieschen, whom all the old timers kindly remember as a member in those days, and who was always ready to the grounds with many barrels of beer. Charles Kramm, the brewer man was not to be outdone and he did the same thing.

Old man Chauche gave his contribution like a gentleman—two casks of wine, which were shipped from San Francisco. One cask was half married a sister of Charles A. Bon just before he died.

Talk about your spread. Why there has never been anything in Oakland like that spread of '69. The whole town and all the visitors had more than they could eat. It was a great success. Scott, why every old timer that could be desired. You remember Colonel John was the Grand Marshal of the parade, and a good one too. I remember the whole business. They don't make any better grand marshals than Colonel John Scott. This reminds me of the first time when we first heard of a chemical engine. The people of Oakland decided they would try the chemical engine. The man who had it placed in the place. One of the boys turned the muth floor in order to make the fire burn briskly. George Farwell was in the act of pouring it over the floor in the second story when somebody touched a match to the building and off it went. Farwell had to jump through the window of the second story to save his life. Why the building went off like a firecracker. The fact is we had to turn to and fight the fire like tigers to keep the town from burning up.

MY OPINION OF JOAQUIN MILLER OUR HOME POET.

By EDWARD A. O'BRIEN of THE TRIBUNE STAFF.

A new generation has arisen since Joaquin Miller, as a poet, came into prominence. Despite that fact, his name is still familiar among literary people in all parts of the world. He is more generally known in the East than he is at home. His poems find many admirers there, even among those who have learned of him through his works and who have never had an opportunity of meeting him personally or of studying him through the penitentiaries which it is claimed he possesses in a remarkable degree. Critics disagree as to the place which Mr. Miller occupies as a poet. The most severe of them, however, have not failed to find in his verses something that could entertain, charm and thrill.

His never fugitive places and works differ in no wise from his earlier efforts. All are readable and worthy of the attention which they receive.

As a man, Mr. Miller has a dash of chivalry. He is courteous itself in his conversation toward ladies, and his devotion to his aged mother has the tenderness and spontaneity of a child. He calls her his queen, and no sovereign could wish for a more devoted subject.

As a host, his heart, like the door of his humble home, is ever open to the coming guest. Such cheer as he

has at his disposal is liberally dispensed and is dispensed with a wealth of facts, sentiment and good nature. Mr. Miller is a friend of the rich and lowly, believing that each was a necessary part to play in the great drama of life. He has the generous love of a poet for his native land, while his devotion to Oakland is no less ardent and broadminded. A circumstance which is attested by some of the most graceful and tenderest verses which bear his name.

WM. KENT'S SCHEME TO DRAW PEOPLE.

William Kent, president of the District Fair Association, which holds its fair and race meet at the Emeryville race track in the latter part of August, proposes to interest everybody in the races and in order to do so is preparing a sufficient variety of attractions to suit everybody. Arrangements have been made for three trotting and two running races each day of the meet.

But Mr. Kent proposes to draw still another class of men—the dog men. There will be dog races every day, provided the field can be fenced about tight with a net much expense. There are many fast hounds in Oakland and their owners will doubtless be glad of an opportunity to race them.

SALARIES OF DEPUTIES SLIGHTLY INCREASED.

By a recent order from the Postoffice Department in Washington, the salaries of the following clerks in the local office have been increased \$50 a year: Eugene Colby, Miss G. T. White, Mrs. C. H. Tucker and T. W. Harveys. Their salaries were formerly \$500 for the first named and \$400 for the other three. The addition of a new carrier and a new collector necessitates a redistribution of routes all over the city. A new clerk has been added in the office also.

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WHAT I SAW WHEN I MADE MY VISIT TO THE HAGUE.

By R. F. COYLE, Pastor of the 1st Presbyterian Church

The following is a portion of a letter received by R. F. Coyle of the First Presbyterian Church:

The Hague, June 20, 1899.

In London Mrs. Coyle bought six pounds worth of sugar for lemonade. When we reached Holland the Custom House officials demanded 27 cents duty.

We offered to give them the sugar, but they insisted on collecting the 27 cents. So on about 12 cents' worth of sugar we were made to pay 27 cents duty.

Everything here has a prosperous air. Even the houses look thrifty and substantial, as do the great, clumsy Dutch windmills that are everywhere. Everything is odd and quaint—the people in their great, heavy, noisy wooden shoes and the ducksters with their two or three dogs hitched to the cart which holds their stock in trade. It is no easy thing to be a dog in Holland.

I visited the House of Lords and the House of Commons. The latter is a body of fine, intelligent looking men. The House of Lords was not in session when I visited there.

In London we met ex-Speaker Tom Reed. R. F. COYLE.

WHAT I THINK OF DOG LOVERS.

By HENRY A. NEWBERRY OF THE TRIBUNE STAFF.

The killing of a spaniel in Brooklyn township by a vicious bull terrier, followed by a family feud in which the bereaved owner of the spaniel is alleged to have drawn a gun on the lady the tendril of whose heart were wreathed so lovingly around the bulldog's fragrant personality that she threatened to kill the spaniel's owner in turn, is another striking example of dog worship that is to me a perennial wonder.

The love of mankind generally for the worthless brutes passes my understanding. It seems to me a monstrous obsession, inviting the attention of some student of degeneracy like Nordau. In addition to being an unmitigated nuisance, the dog, in the language of Ambrose Bierce, "the epitome of all nastiness—the one indelicate story in the annals of creation, which uses his luminous intelligence as a searchlight to discover in the dim profound of total depravity vices sufficiently offensive to adorn his daily walk and conversation."

That is a truthful description of the dog in his best, or rather, least offensive, estate, as any unbiased observer can testify. But when one considers the prevalence of the vicious canine whose daily delight it is to flesh his teeth in every innocent who fraternizes with the midnight burglar who throws him a bone, and then even things up by interlocking his fangs in the tender skull of some babe that has cluded its mother's vigilance long enough to crawl out on the sidewalk—it seems to me that the animal, which merely follows its wolfish instincts, is not half so detestable as the incredible pervert that harbors him.

Only the other day a 6-year-old boy in San Francisco was set upon in the street by three "playful" fox terriers, knocked down, and when the animals were finally dragged away the child lay in the street so mangled and mutilated that it was a question whether he would live or die. Such cases are so common that they attract no attention beyond a newspaper paragraph chronicling the occurrence.

True, the man-eating dog is sometimes killed by a policeman—when he can get to the owner's home before that valuable citizen has had time to spirit his brute away. But that is about all the satisfaction the victim of the dog's inhumanity of temper ever does get. If the practice of keeping pet stunks and wildcats were as much in vogue as the practice of keeping vicious dogs and ethically there is no reason why it should not be—what a soothing balm it would be to the anguish of a mother whose babe had been mangled by one of them to know that the creature had been killed!

IN WORLD OF MUSIC.

**SOMETHING OF INTEREST
TO MUSICAL PEOPLE
OF OAKLAND.**

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**FEW POINTERS ABOUT THE
MUSICIANS ALL OVER
THE WORLD.**

Raphael Jossely will make a tour covering the principal cities of the United States, commencing the early part of November, appearing in recitals only. His program consists of his own compositions, which, in his opinion, will be interesting and effective. As he will combine the classical with novelties, he will be heard in many places, not only in the concert hall, but in the opera house and the smaller pianist before. L. M. Ruben of the New York Metropolitan Opera House, who is arranging the Jossely recital tour, says that he expects to make his appearances to fifty although applications for Jossely recitals already exceed that number. He will not travel in the "Kaiser's" class and will make a tour in New York city the latter part of April, 1920.

He was thus able to find an adequate outlet for the exercise of his best talents, and to develop his high intelligence and his great powers of creativity; and many-sided, we might say, an expert in counterpoint and indeed, an expert in the history of the sound and original in his thinking. It is in all ways a man of unusual force of mind, and his teaching, a branch in which he has induced the results many years ago. His acquaintance with all the history of the music, the coach for style and interpretation.

the same spirit that the other writers held and sent their light to clearing up an important point in detail since they were not musical materials and could not provide exclusively to France.

Madame Réjy is suited to the honor of maintaining a certain standard of organ music in the organ recitals throughout the country. In a recital at Lyon, this, recently, he played among other things, some of the most important modern works, in addition to the great concert fugue of Bach: Wistenhof's "Hilke" and "Overture," Gounod's "Hilke" and "Overture," and "Overture in B-flat," among smaller pieces by Hülshof, Bossi, Mare, etc.

Her last recital in Chicago, Mme. Réjy was requested to play the "Walden" sonata of Beethoven, some Chopin pieces, the Schumann sonata in G minor, and the Schumann "Lied" in G minor, and the Hungarian Rhapsody. The piano mentioned of uncommonly good and

...box office performance was undoubtedly (perhaps wisely) since one needs that Minneapolis the record was made with legal proceedings for the benefit of Miss Annunzio, of the Chicago orchestra.

Speaking in a general way of Damrosch's Mantle to Baum, after once he had been in the park, and after he had the editor of Music says that his impression of it is that it is one of the best of the kind, and that it is one of the best old hymn has ever had. "Mr. Damrosch's workmanship," the conductor, "is a masterpiece of the kind, for it is for what it is not. Evidently this young man has improved his opportunities, and he has a certain amount of musical imagination, and I should say that a number of this work might be used to turn out some beautiful moments of the kind, and I should say that the book furnished the necessary

With the theatre, he is not above the use of the ad caption now and then. In the case of the new production, he classed the use of the new caption as one of the "new" things. "It is one of these; another, the bit of 'The Strangled Banner' occurring as a brilliant feature in the new production," he said. "I would not have a word of it, but I am never so confounded by the new things as I am by the old. These are stirring effects and in no way inferior to the old. I am sure that the new could be more frankly ad captioned than the old." *

Accompanying the letter of William H. Cumming, the principal of the Culbush school, of New York, was a check for \$100.00 for the enterprise. It appears that during the present year they have had 100 students. The money was paid the sum of something over \$18,000; and during the same period the school received from the community about \$100,000. Mr. Cumming's outlook are about counting the pound sterling at a dollar. Mr. Cumming's outlook are

to advise students as to their work, and to examine all students for admission to the school and refer them to suitable professors, exhibitions, etc., to superintend and conduct all students' concerts, and to hold all necessary examinations. "Suffice it to say," he concludes, "I have the assistance of work and I enjoy it. I take great delight in it."

In the absence of J. M. Robinson, the popular chorister of the First M. E. Church, J. C. Hill is substituting very effectively in conjunction with the patriotic service was especially fine. Mrs. P. M. Hill, who sang the "Star Spangled Banner" in a most impressive as well as artistic manner, the best of the auditorium ringing with the best of tones.

At the request, Mrs. Hustel will, on Sunday

Dr. A. told her how much he enjoyed the country, to make fire in the drawing room the other day, promising soon after she found him hunched, contemplating the andirons, longingly, with a pile of logs by his side large enough to warm a winter's day. "I don't know," he never made a fire before, "William!" she asked, somewhat sharply. "Well, ma'am, I can't never make a waist called a refined fire—no in 'tazzer!" was a puzzled reply.—Harper's *Quaker*.

1. Introduction

Wilson, L., aged 52 years, Prater's Marine
Wilson L., aged 4 years, Prater's Henry
Wilson m., aged 24 years.

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